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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2006, please amend the above referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 24 of this paper.